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Addendum

I. List of candidates

1. As at 21 April 2011, the name of the following candidate had been submitted for the seat which has become vacant as a consequence of the resignation of Bayo Ojo: Mohammed Bello Adoke (Nigeria).

2. The curriculum vitae of the above candidate is contained in section II below.

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II. Curriculum vitae

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Personal data

Name: Mohammed Bello Adoke, S.A.N.

Date of birth: 1 September 1963

Place of birth: Jos, Plateau State

State of origin: Kogi

Marital status: married

Educational institutions attended

1.	University of Nottingham, England	2001-2002
2.	Robert Kennedy University, Zurich, Switzerland	1999
3.	Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, London	1998
4.	Bayero University, Kana, Kana State	1997-1998
5.	Nigerian Law School, Lagos	1985-1986
6.	Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria, Kaduna State	1982-1985
7.	Institute of Administration, Zaria, Kaduna State	1980-1982
8.	Govt. Secondary School, Omu-Aran, Kwara State	1974-1979
9.	Baptist High School Port Harcourt, Rivers State	1968-1973
10.	Township School, Moscow Road, Port Harcourt, Rivers State	1968-1973

Qualifications obtained

1.	Certificate in Legal Aspect of Debt and Financial Management from United Nations Institute for Training and Research	July 2006
2.	Certificate in Writing, Advocacy, Negotiation and Other Lawyering Skills from Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.	2004
3.	Seminar Certificate in International Commercial Arbitration and Conciliation organized by the African Development Law Centre in cooperation with Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.	2004
4.	Certificate in Legal and Economic Framework for National Competition Policy from Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.	2003
5.	Postgraduate diploma (International Commercial Law)	2002
6.	Postgraduate diploma in International Tax Law	1999
7.	Fellow, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators	2000

8.	B.L.	1986
9.	LL.B. (Second Class Upper)	1985
10.	Diploma in Law (Upper Credit)	1972
11.	West African School Certificate	1979

Experience

1.	Primary School Teacher with Schools Management Board, Okene Local Government, Kogi State	1979-1980
2.	Pupil State Counsel, Kano State Ministry of Justice	1986-1987
3.	Solicitor and Advocate with Messrs Zakari Yaro & Co.	1987-1989
4.	Senior Counsel in charge of Litigation, Documentation and Tax Matters with the law firm of Messrs I. M. Boyi & Co.	1989-1991
5.	General Counsel of M. A. Bello & Co., a law firm specializing in corporate insolvency, recoveries, arbitration and alternative dispute resolution, taxation and investment law	1991-present
6.	Guest Lecturer, Chartered Institute of Transport	1987-1990
7.	Part-time Legal Adviser and Secretary to Afri-Projects Consort Limited, Abuja	1997-1999
8.	Legal Adviser to Kabo Holdings Limited	1995-1999
9.	Legal Adviser to Voix System, London	2003-present

Positions and responsibilities held

1.	Board Member, Peugeot Automobile Limited, Kaduna	2006-2008
2.	Chairman, Board Audit Committee, Unity Bank Plc	2008-present
3.	Board Audit Committee Member, Intercity Bank Plc	2003-2006
4.	Member, National Committee on the Reform and Harmonization of Arbitration Laws in Nigeria	2005
5.	Chairman, Nigerian Bar Association, Kano Branch	2003-2005
6.	Chairman, N.B.A., National Bar Centre Committee	2004-2006
7.	Member, Section on Legal Practice of the Nigerian Bar Association	2004-present
8.	Chairman, Judges Forum of the Nigerian Bar Association, Section on Legal Practice	2008
9.	Legal Consultant to Petroleum Trust Fund	1996-1999
10.	Notary Public of Nigeria	1999
11.	Appointed Life Patron, Law Student and Society; Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria	1990
12.	Publicity Secretary, Nigerian Bar Association, Kano Branch	1989-1990

13.	Member, Editorial Board, Kano State Law Reporting Committee	1988-2000
14.	Member, Governing Council, Nigerian Association of Law Students	1984-1985
15.	Secretary General, Law Student Society, A.B.U., Zaria	1983-1984
16.	Elevated to Inner Bar as a Senior Advocate of Nigeria	July 2006

Membership in associations

1. International Bar Association
2. Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, United Kingdom
3. Chartered Institute of Corporate Administration and Industrialists
4. Institute of Business Executives

Hobbies

Reading, research and travelling